

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 13 through page 1, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

<Background Art>

A dual-type wireless communication terminal has been known as a wireless communication terminal capable of performing communication ~~with base stations~~ by switching between two communication systems.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 7 through page 3, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In relation to the hybrid-type wireless communication terminal, a hybrid-type wireless communication terminal using a cdma2000 1x system which is mainly designed for voice communication and a 1xEVDO system which is specifically designed for data communication suspends the data communication of the 1xEVDO system at predetermined intervals (e.g., 5.12 seconds) and then switches an antenna and a radio section to the cdma2000 1x to perform system monitoring with the cdma2000 1x, in order to monitor an incoming call of the cdma2000 1x during the data communication with the 1xEVDO. When the system monitoring has been completed, the antenna and the radio section are again switched to the 1xEVDO, thereby resuming the data communication with the 1xEVDO. In the case that the wireless communication terminal is located in an area where is in the vicinity of a boundary between service areas by a plurality of base stations as cdma2000 1x system (the case that quantities of signals received from the plurality of base stations (C/I values) contend with each other), the cdma2000 1x, thereby performing the system monitoring with the cdma2000 1x. At this time, when the idle handoff of the cdma2000 1x system has been detected and the idle handoff is continuously

detected even after the idle handoff processing, the antenna and the radio section of the wireless communication terminal are still occupied with the cdma2000 1x system. Therefore, after a given period of time has elapsed while the occupation is maintained, the wireless communication terminal as the 1xEVDO system determines that radio wave is lost (see Fig. 4). For this reason, during data communication of the 1xEVDO, the data communication of the 1xEVDO system is disconnected as a result of repetition of the idle handoff in the cdma2000 1x system, although regardless of the state of radio wave of the 1xEVDO system is good.

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, line 16 through page 4, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

<Disclosure of Invention>

The invention has been conceived in view of the previously-described drawbacks and aims at providing a wireless communication terminal which prevents unexpected interruption of communication during data communication of with the 1xEVDO system even when idle handoff is frequently repeated in the cdma2000 1x system, as a hybrid communication terminal performing communication ~~with base stations~~ by means of switching between two systems; i.e., the cdma2000 1x system and the 1xEVDO system.

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, line 2 through page 4, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A first invention is characterized by a wireless communication terminal, which performs wireless communication ~~with base stations~~ using each of a first communication method and a second communication method and enables to be in an idle state with both methods, having: a measurement section that measures quality of a signal transmitted from the base station; a handoff determination

section that determines handoff in an idle state with the second communication method based on quality of signals transmitted from a connected base station and another base station; and a control section that changes a criterion of the determination of the handoff in the idle state with the second communication method in accordance with a state of the first communication method.

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, line 16 through page 4, line 24, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A second invention according to the first invention is characterized in that the control section sets a first determination threshold value to be used for determining handoff during the idle state with the second communication method when a state of the first communication method is in an idle state, and sets a second determination threshold value to be used for determining handoff during the idle state with the second communication method when the first communication method is in communication.

Please replace the paragraph at page 5, line 12 through page 5, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A fifth invention is characterized by a handoff determination method of a wireless communication terminal which performs wireless communication ~~with base stations~~ using each of a first communication method and a second communication method and enables to be in an idle state with both methods, the handoff determination method including the steps of: changing a handoff determination criterion of the second communication method in accordance with a status of the first communication method; and determining handoff with the second communication method based on the changed handoff determination criterion.